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H. R. 1286

To amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Washington-Rochambeau Revolutionary Route National Historic Trail.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 1, 2007

Mr. HINCHEY (for himself, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. OBERSTAR, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mr. SERRANO, and Mr. SNYDER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Washington-Rocham-
5 beau Revolutionary Route National Historic Trail Des-
6 ignation Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. ADDITION TO NATIONAL SCENIC AND NATIONAL**
2 **HISTORIC TRAILS.**

3 Section 5(a) of the National Trails System Act (16
4 U.S.C. 1244(a)) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
5 lowing:

6 “(26) WASHINGTON-ROCHAMBEAU REVOLUTIONARY
7 ROUTE NATIONAL HISTORIC TRAIL.—

8 “(A) IN GENERAL.—The Washington-Rocham-
9 beau Revolutionary Route National Historic Trail, a
10 corridor of approximately 600 miles following the
11 route taken by the armies of General George Wash-
12 ington and Count Rochambeau between Newport,
13 Rhode Island, and Yorktown, Virginia, in 1781 and
14 1782, as generally depicted on the map entitled
15 ‘WASHINGTON-ROCHAMBEAU REVOLU-
16 TIONARY ROUTE NATIONAL HISTORIC
17 TRAIL’, numbered T01/80,000, and dated July
18 2006.

19 “(B) MAP.—The map referred to in subpara-
20 graph (A) shall be on file and available for public in-
21 spection in the appropriate offices of the National
22 Park Service.

23 “(C) ADMINISTRATION.—The trail shall be ad-
24 ministered by the Secretary of the Interior, in con-
25 sultation with—

1 “(i) other Federal, State, tribal, regional,
2 and local agencies; and

3 “(ii) the private sector.

4 “(D) LAND ACQUISITION.—The United States
5 shall not acquire for the trail any land or interest
6 in land outside the exterior boundary of any feder-
7 ally-managed area without the consent of the owner
8 of the land or interest in land.”.

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